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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR OR
APPLICATION IDENTIFIER:

FOR: NOVEL NUCLEIC ACIDS AND POLYPEPTIDES, AND METHODS OF
USE THEREOF

December 19, 2001
Boston, Massachusetts

Box PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). This application claims priority from U.S.S.N. 60/256,619 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-223), filed December 19, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/262,959 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-223A), filed January 19, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/272,408 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-223C1), filed February 28, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/285,189 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-222A), filed April 20, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/308,039 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-223D1), filed July 26, 2001; and U.S.S.N. 60/311,266 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-223IFC-01), filed August 9, 2001.
2. This application includes 366 total pages. This total includes 355 pages of specification (not including claims or abstract), 10 pages of claims, and 1 page containing the Abstract.
3. Also enclosed is a Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned).

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APPLICATION IDENTIFIER: Shimkets *et al*
Request for New Nonprovisional Application (37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	59	- 20 =	39	\$ 18.00	\$702.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	11	- 3 =	8	\$78.00	\$624.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$270.00	
				SUBTOTAL:	\$2036.00
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	- \$0.00
				TOTAL FEE:	\$2036.00

5. Check #11195 in the amount of **\$2036.00** is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-222.
6. Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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